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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
KEITARO SUZUKI, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION
SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. DIVISIONAL :
APPLN.
(Based on 09/637,029)
FILED: HEREWITH :
FOR: MODIFIED METAL OXIDE SOL, :
COATING COMPOSITION AND
OPTICAL ELEMENT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begins on page 7 of this paper.